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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

May I, on behalf of the faculty and the young men and women of the student body at the Salisbury State Teachers College, express my pleasure in having had you as our guests on this, our seventeenth annual High School Seniors Day. There is no day in the college year we anticipate with more pleasure. You, some five hundred high school seniors, form an impressive group. You have in common an outstanding personal and academic achievement; namely, graduation from high school. We congratulate you. We look forward to the contribution you will be able to make toward progress in many fields, through the pursuit of a college degree.

We hope that in sharing our activities with us today you will have caught a little of the spirit of our cooperative living, of our serious academic pursuits, creative recreations, and physical development. Now that your dream of beginning your college career is about to be realized, we want you to know that our entire faculty, and especially the counseling and personnel services and our registrar would feel privileged to aid you and your parents in choosing your college. We hope you will feel free to return often. We would enthusiastically welcome you as members of the S.T.C. class of 1957.

## Your S.G.A. At Work

The past month has been a planning and doing period for your S.G.A.

Highlighting the "planning" part of the program was the establishment of the necessary committees for an S.G.A. sponsored dance, which is to be the culminating activity of the May Day festivities. Two hundred dollars has been set aside for this function, and, as a consequence, students will be admitted free.

Plans have been renewed for the joint meeting of the executive boards of the Maryland State College at Princess Anne and STC. This meeting, for the purpose of exchanging ideas, has been rescheduled for the regular March meeting of our board.

Included under t he "doing" phase of the last month's calendar was the acquisition of a new washer for the mens' dormitory.

The injustice done to the members of our cheering squad and social committee members over the years has finally been rectified. The Executive Board voted unanimously to award honor points to those individuals as a measure of reward and recognition for their valuable yearly contributions to student morale.

In addition, under the "doing" category, the Executive Board conducted nominations and the election of Campus Leaders, the results of which are made known elsewhere in this issue of the HOLLY LEAF.

A call meeting of the board was held this month, In addition to the regular meeting, at which it was decided to contribute $90.00 toward the expenses of a student delegation to the educational convention at New York City. This delegation is comprised of six students.

On the agenda for the next month is the election of organizational officers. Tentative plans for the nominating and electing of next year's S.G.A. officers have been made for the week following the Easter vacation.

## Musical Notes

Having completed one very successful program at Maryland State College in Princess Anne, the members of the STC chorus, under the direction of Dr. Jessie L. Fleming, have turned their attention to two special activities for the near future. The first one, on March 20, will be presented for the entertainment of high school seniors. This program will include the "Alma Mater," "Lovely to Look At," and two portions from the "Testament of Freedom" by Randall Thompson. In addition to these, Joan Stiles and Bill Truitt will sing "I'll See You Again," and with Janet Hoffman as soloist, the double octet will sing the very lovely "Under the Stars." The other main event on the calendar is the Spring Concert, which is to be on Wednesday, April 15, at 8:00 P. M. In the concert, to which the public is invited, the chorus, the double octet, and the male quartet will perform. The music will include the "Testament of Freedom," "You'll Never Walk Alone," "Hymn to Music," and many others. There will be no admission charged the faculty and student body. This program promises to be one of the chorus' best performances of the year.

The male quartet has also been kept on the go with a number of appearances at various club and

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## Achievement Key

Joanne Jones
Grayson Wheatley
Fred Johnson
Glenn Lawson
Lester Holesberg
Sylvia Givans
Walter Johnson
Betty Lou Townsend
Barbara Jones*
Ingrid Esterson*
Jane Thompson*
Stewart Harrison**

The staff of the *Holly Leaf* joins the entire student body in congratulating these winners of the much coveted achievement key. We especially congratulate those who have obtained rubies for the keys they already possess. They are designated by the asterisk.

## Considering A Career?

What makes the grass shine after the rain? How do you spell fulcrum? Is the story of King midas real? Let's make a play out of **Tom Sawyer!**

The answer to these questions and many more, as well as the thinking back of them, is elementary school teaching. Does an elementary school teacher know much? "I'll ask my teacher," young Mr. America says! There's your answer.

As a result of the much publicized needs of elementary education people are beginning to appreciate the meaning of good schools and realizing that good schools can spell the difference between success and failure in our democratic way of life. In our schools we teach those precepts and practice those principles that are traditionally American, traditionally democratic. Increasingly, we realize, moreover, that it is in the early years of school that the foundation for all education is laid. Our elementary schools are the rock upon which we build our program of learnings and the institutions in which we take the first necessary steps in developing personality and character.

Elementary education teachers are well-educated. They are specialists — not in one subject (they do not pretend to know all there is to know about any one subject) — but in the common core of fundamentals peculiar to the sciences, to the arts, and to the humanities. Their skills are well-rounded, too, and best of all, their knowledge of the psychology of childhood gives them a fundamental understanding of human behavior that carries over into their own lives and home-building.

You may desire to pursue the field of education on to higher levels. Combining a successful teaching background with further study on the graduate level, one can step into such fields as supervision and administration in Elementary Schools, teaching in advanced grade levels, or instructing in colleges.

The demand for teachers at the elementary level is such that a qualified person is relatively certain of obtaining a position in almost any locality in this country. Furthermore, opportunities to teach in countries outside of the United States are offered by various foundations, as well as the United States Employment Service. This enables the person interested, to travel extensively with relatively no personal expense.

You may dream of being a Man of Destiny. If you do, remember that you have been when you help in the constructive shaping of human life. Where, as in teaching, can that be done for so many, by so few?

## Excused Absences

All requests for excused absences must be supported in writing by a note from a physician, a parent, the college nurse, or other source, and submitted to the Main Office. The written note will be referred to the Chairman of the Guidance Committee weekly for the action of his Committee. Its decision will be indicated on the note which will be returned to the Office. The office will then notify the student, all instructors involved, and the Personnel Office, as to the action taken. A record of granted or rejected requests will be filed in the Main Office.

## Seniors Day Program

On March 20, 1953, as in the past 19 years, the students and personnel of S.T.C. are extending their invitations to over 800 high school seniors of Maryland to the annual High School Seniors' Day. Registration will begin at 3 o'clock in the main corridor. Student visitors will be conducted on a tour of the main building while the principals and counselors are being entertained by the college faculty at tea.

Beginning at 4:15 and lasting approximately until 5:15, the men and women of the physical education department will present a very interesting gymnastic demonstration.

Open house in the boys' dorm will be held at 5:15. Following this, dinner will be held in the college dining hall.

Classroom demonstrations and exhibits will be held between 6:30 and 7:30. During this time the high school students will have an opportunity to confer with the college personnel about their future.

The evening program will be held in the auditorium at 7:30. The highlights will be the announcement by Dr. Blackwell of the award of achievement keys to the 5% of the student body with the highest attainment scholastically and in leadership; and the results of the student election of campus leaders. Guests will then be entertained by musical and dramatic skits. Roger Ham of Salisbury, a freshman, will direct the production; Walter Johnson of Coster, a senior, is house manager; and Stewart Harrison of St. Michaels, a senior, is production manager.

An informal hour will follow in the college activity center. The program will close with an informal dance in the gym to the music of William Walcott's orchestra.

## Your Draft Status

High School Senior men who anticipate enrolling in college in the fall should become acquainted with the following regulations concerning draft eligible college students. Such students enrolled in their freshman year at college are entitled to a I-S classification, which defers them to the end of their first school year. During this period they should apply for and take the Selective Service College Qualification Test. Obtaining a score of 70 or higher may qualify a student for deferment for succeeding school years. Another method by which students may qualify is ranking in the upper half of the class in the first year. The registrant's local board has the authority to require the students to meet one or both qualifications before assigning them a II-S classification. At the present time, draft officials in the state of Maryland have found it possible to fill their quotas without drawing on the 1 9year age group. This would enable most high school graduates to obtain at least one year and probably two years of college prior to induction into the armed service. Ideally, those who qualify for the II-S classification are permitted to complete their degree program before being called to the service. The services have recognized the

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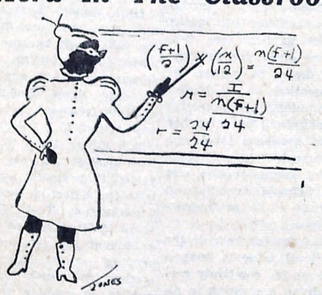
## AS THE EDITORS SEE IT

Today our doors are open in welcome to the high school seniors of Maryland, in hopes that they can come to know us in a few short hours. At approximately three o'clock our guests began arriving and until twelve o'clock tonight they will be part of our informative and social program. The success of that program — and the effectiveness of our welcome — depends on STC students in general, not upon the faculty nor on one or two of the student leaders. In short, the appropriate attitude must be shown toward our visitors. We are aware that no two students hold the same attitudes, but a *college* always has an *outlook* which is made up of *all* the student attitudes. The outlook of this college is toward filling a need for teachers of the citizens of tomorrow! The enrollment of the future must not be affected by the improper attitude shown today in its halls, or else the need will go unanswered and valuable friendships will never develop because visiting seniors decided that this small college has a coinciding small outlook.

More than anything else, we want no mistakes made about our outlook. This is a progressive college, and a friendly one, from Mrs. Ennis' smile in the Snack Bar to Diana's ponderous form on the Third Floor. To the strangers-in-our-midst, there is but one way to make this clear — by a notice of their presence, conversation with them along their interests — a *friendly attitude* toward them.

## *Herd In The Classroom*




Willie Carey joined the ranks of the student teachers this semester, and has been doing a "bang-up" job with geography. To cite a specific example, I have in mind the day she was summarizing a unit on cities and states. By way of review, she asked the following question: "In what state is Chicago?" She was about to call on a little girl in the front row, but when she saw the frantic hand waving in the rear of the room, she permitted its proud owner to share his knowledge with the class. The answer? "Siam!"

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Teachers are human beings (they are so!) and frequently chat with pupils at the end of the day. Margaret Everett was leaving school last fall when she asked a little freckle-faced space cadet if he knew what day it was (Nov. 4th). "Inebriation Day." To this day she insists that she had never seen him before.

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You know the type. He grows up and gets a job figuring the distance between rows of theatre seats. Lloyd Fry has one such in his room. During the first week of teaching, when the teachers and pupils were trying to learn each other's names, Lloyd had a good discussion going on simple and compound interest, when out of the proverbial clear, blue sky came the following question:

"Mr. Fry, er-uh, you are Mr. Fry, aren't you?

"Yes, I am."

"Well, what are you doing with an 'L' on your tie?"

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How well I remember the day that Moe approached the bus with an expression that compared favorably with that of a mule eating briars. He had a good reason.

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"There's a boid around our neighborhood that stayed all winter."

"Bird, not boid!"

"Boid!"

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## Spotlighting Students

We are spotlighting the prominent senior, Howard Cheek (better known as Cheeko) of Street, Maryland. His good looking make-up is composed of brown eyes and light brown hair. He is 5' 7-½" tall and weighs 138 pounds. He also wears "bifocals." During his spare time you'll find him slinging frozen custard at Dr. May's well-known Polar Bar, of which he is "top manager."

His father is employed as foreman of the Spray Paint Division at the Army Chemical Center, Edgewood, Maryland. His mother is an inspector at the Army Chemical Center. He has three sisters and one brother.

"Cheeko" was graduated from Bel Air High School in 1948 with an Academic diploma. In his freshman, junior, and senior years he played varsity baseball. He was sports editor for his school paper (the **Bellarion**), was lieutenant of the traffic squad, played soccer, and was in his senior play. He was awarded an achievement pin in activities.

Here at S.T.C. his talents have been recognized in the fine job he is doing as editor of the "Hollyleaf," as well as that of squad leader of the gym team. His marvelous voice made him a member of the popular S.T.C. Quartet in which he sings second tenor. He was chosen for "Who's Who," is on the "Evergreen" staff, and was co-originator of the Gull Wing Club. He played left wing on the soccer team in his junior year, and right wing this year. He shows especially good form on the high horizontal bar and parallel bars, and is fond of pole vaulting. He is also secretary of the Men's Athletic Association.

Some of his likes include: sirloin steak, his pretty fiancee "Mildred," football, soccer, baseball, gymnastics, Alan Ladd, Dorothy McGuire, Romberg's music, operas by Verdi, Artie Shaw, milk, to swim, read, sing, and tease Margaret Everett.

His very few dislikes are "Bop," hillbilly music, snow, and communism.

He has a '39 Oldsmobile, a hot plate, a clarinet, a guitar (for sale), a quick sense of wit and a most pleasing personality. His willingness to lend a helping hand has won him a flock of friends.

"Cheeko" plans to teach in Harford County immediately after graduation and he says, "If I don't get drafted I'll get married and raise dependents and deferments." Eventually he would like to get his Masters degree in education at N.Y.U.

Yes, Howard will go down in S.T.C. history as one of the most amiable, talented, and successful men she has ever known. He will be missed when he leaves us this year, but his dynamic personality will gain him friends wherever he goes. "Good luck, Cheeko!"

## BOOK REVIEWS

**By Madolyn L. Brown**

Thomas B. Costin has written a novel entitled *The Silver Chalice*. The book has been on the best seller list for approximately six months. It is the story of the cup of the Last Supper.

The main character is Basil, a Greek boy chosen to make a frame for the Chalice. He is discovered by Luke, the Apostle, in his travels through Antioch. Up until now Basil has been working as a slave, making metal objects for a shopkeeper in Antioch. Luke takes Basil to the home of Joseph of Arimathea where the cup is safely hidden. The work on the casing continues as Basil travels to many parts of the world with his friend Luke. Great risks are taken to protect the cup during these journeys.

Two women play an important part in the life of Basil. One is Deborra, granddaughter of Joseph of Arimathea. She is very beautiful but somewhat sheltered by her grandfather. The other woman is Helen, a Greak slave girl, whom Basil first meets in Antioch at the home of his father and later in Jerusalem where she is working for Simon the magician. Basil is torn between these two but finally Deborra becomes his wife.

Some may not read this book when they glance at the title, but the story contains adventure as well as spiritual insight. The constant attempts of men to steal the cup from Joseph before he dies and then from Basil will hold your interest to the very end.

For those interested in biblical history I would highly recommend *The Silver Chalice*. Names of the Apostles and persons acquainted with Jesus enter the picture from time to time. I thoroughly enjoyed the book and would be happy to lend it to anyone interested in reading it.

The setting for Alberto Moravia's new novel, *The Fancy Dress Party*, is the exotic and fascist state of Ruritania. The greater part of the action takes place at the home of the Duchess of Gorina.

The characters include Tereso, Dictator of the state of Ruritania; Fausta, a one time countess but not willing to become Tereso's mistress to secure her brother's freedom; the Duchess of Gorina, who plans the party but never has the satisfaction of actually giving it; Perro, a police agent; Saverio, a silly fool who joins Perro in his plot to assassinate Tereso; and various guests, servants, and two lovers of Fausta.

These characters weave a story that begins very slowly but picks up momentum as it progresses. An attempted assassination of Terso turns into a funeral for Fausta. All through the story Fausta has been making love to three different men, each for a different reason. Finally two of them find out about the third and all hell breaks loose. One of them tries to take her away and the other plans a wedding for her with her lover. When the plans for the assassination begin to take shape, Fausta seems to be in the way, so, consequently, she has to be put out of the picture.

The novel is highly amusing and the author has done very well in his description of characters. The women seem to lead the men around by the nose, as can be seen at the time of Tereso's arrival at the palace. Fausta is swimming, and, even though she doesn't stop to greet him and he turns purple with rage, he just doesn't have the will power to leave this lovely creature. The Duchess is another character who is very much alive, even though she is fairly old. A vivid description is also given of the palace, inside and out.

I think Moravia has written a fantasy with political satire and a touch of mystery for a top rate novel. However, I would say one must enjoy fantasy or he will not be at all interested in this book.

## *SNOOPY:*

Although my congratulations will only be heard within the student-body, I know they would be appreciated if Joan could read them. I want to congratulate Joan Reese upon her recent engagement. Best of luck!

Hey, Barbara B., just for a switch why don't you change your theme song from "Wish You Were Here" to "Carry Me Back to Ole Virginia."

There was a young Delaware lad
His case is mighty, mighty sad
But don't you worry, and don't you fret
You'll weaken, and she'll get that frat pin yet.

To Lynn, Charlotte and Janice Taylor:

Although you joined us late this year,
Let me say, "We're glad to have you here."

I hear Roland F.'s favorite hobby is collecting tropical fish. Now isn't that cute!

With whom does Joyce Mathews carry on such long conversations about 11:00. If my guess is right, you two had better get to work, if you want to stay on that honor roll.

**"My, How Times Change"**

1. From sports to women . . . Moe.

2. When the Beau corner takes the place of the library . . . Mary Lane and Don.

3. Snack bar takes place of dining hall . . . Mary Lou.

4. Girls take new course in Home Decorating at S.T.C. . . . Dunny and Pat F.

5. First Editor, Writer and Typist . . . "Cheeko".

6. The Beautiful becomes the Bad . . . Jimmy Holden.

7. My grade slips from 100 to 50 . . . Ed Prettyman.

8. From Fraternity parties to snack bar discussions . . . Bobby and Tommy.

9. When Bette starts dating Harry . . . Betty Overton.

10. When Janet starts seeing Al again . . . Janet Hoffman.

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## Herd

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"Bird!"

"Well, it choips like a boid!"

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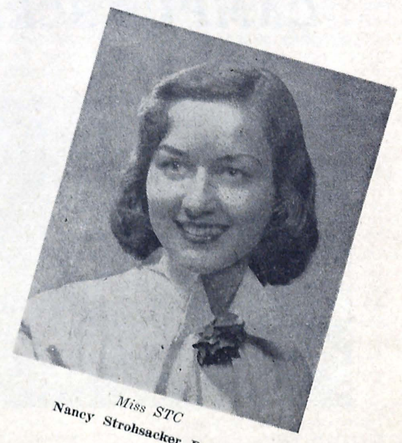
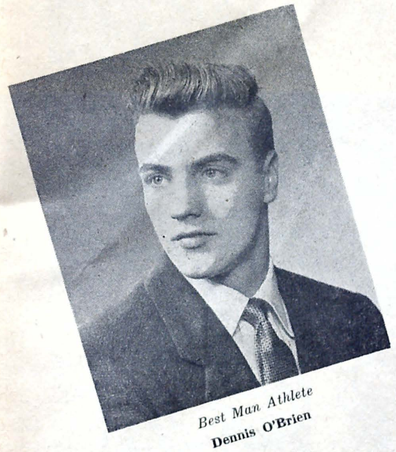
"For those who teach, no explanation is necessary, and for those who don't, no explanation is possible."

*Mr. STC*
**Donald Reed**

*Queen Of May*
**Ardath Bartholomee**



*Miss STC*
**Nancy Strohsacker Patton**



*Best Man Athlete*
**Dennis O'Brien**

*Queen's Escort*
**Bill Truitt**

*Best Woman Athlete*
**Marie Doyle**

*Most Scholarly Man*
**James Williams**

*Most Scholarly Woman*
**Sylvia Givans**

# CAMPUS SCENES

# The Gulls You View

On Friday, March 6, the Gulls closed this year's basketball season with a real bang against Kings College. The game was a real thriller all the way, and going into the final minutes it was still anybody's game. Kings, however, proved to be too much for the birds, and the game was lost in the final seconds of play.

In the final analysis, this year's team seemed to be a rather erratic aggregation. In one game they would function as a smooth machine, and a spectator could not ask for a better game. At other times they did not look like the same group. All things considered, however, the job they did this year was a very commendable one, and we congratulate both the team and its coach, Mr. Maggs.

We would also like to congratulate "Moe" Shields, who has played his last game for S.T.C. His fire and spirit on the court will be missed by next year's team.

Our STC girls' basketball team ended its 1953 season last Friday, March 6th, with a close victory at the expense of Kings College. The final score was 42-41. Patty Lou Guerrieri scored the winning goal in the last minute of the contest. Harriett Dickinson dumped in 20 points for the victors while Beverly Pugsley scored a wasted 19 for the losers.

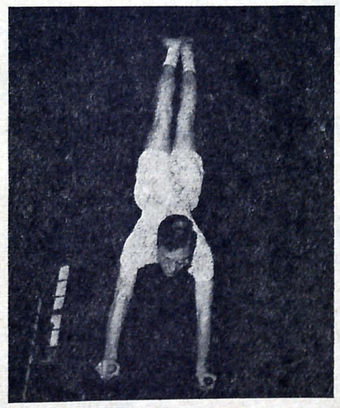
STC ended the season with a 2-2 record against college competition. The other victory was also scored against Kings. Both defeats were handed the girls by Goldey-Beacom of Wilmington.

The entire team deserves much credit for its work this year, but particular mention should be made of the outstanding defensive work of Margaret Everett. Margaret is a senior and her playing will certainly be missed next season. Among the forwards, each girl has done well, but special notice has been made of the fine play of Peggy Ross. Peggy is only a freshman and has three big years ahead of her.

It spite of what seems to be a none too impressive record for the year, a pat on the back goes to all the girls, to Miss Holloway, and to Bettie Smith, who has done a commendable job as referee.

Sylvia Givans

SPORTLIGHTS



Australians are the leading customers for Britain's automobiles, with Americans in second place.

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The material used for cork stoppers is corkwood which grows in Spain and Portugal.

WATSON'S SMOKE HOUSE
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RECORDS

# Know Your School

One of the most important segments of any school is its library. Here the assiduous student can delve into all areas of learning and can cultivate an insatiable taste for knowledge.

The Salisbury State Normal School in the year of its founding, 1925, exemplified the importance of the library to a school. In that year the library occupied practically all of the first floor of the only wing then constructed. Miss Dorothy Doerr was in charge of the library this first year, 1925-26. Miss Miriam Lilah Kutz was in charge the second year of the school's existence.

The next ten years saw a marked change in this room of learning under the guidance of Mrs. Lucy W. Bennett. Mrs. Bennett was librarian as well as head of the English Department, and in this capacity instructed a one-semester course in library technique, affectionately called "Lib Tech." Another contribution of Mrs. Bennett was the instigation of the picture file, which is very important supplementary material to the student teacher.

As a result of the Salisbury State Normal's acquiring a four-year curriculum in 1935 and thus becoming Salisbury State Teachers College, the need for an expanded library program was realized. Even though the library contained 6,000 volumes in 1929, this number was increased to only 7,000 by 1937. The practice during these years was to supply students with text books. Consequently, only a small portion of money delegated to the library remained to purchase books for the library shelves.

Mrs. Grace Chaires became the first full-time librarian in 1937. She, together with her two assistants, Mrs. Anna Jones Cooper and Miss Gladys Lewis, worked toward the ultimate aim of STC, which was to become a member of the American Association of Teachers Colleges.

The school was to have, among other requirements, a full time professionally trained librarian and a collection of at least 15,000 books. Of this total the number of duplicate books, bound periodicals, and published documents was not to exceed 15%. Money necessary to actuate this endeavor was appropriated by the State Board. Citizens of Salisbury also rose to the occasion and made some very fine contributions from their home libraries. In this manner, STC became an accredited school in the A.A.T.C. in 1942.

The school year 1952-53 is the first year since 1937 that there has been a change in the library staff. Mrs. Anna Jones Cooper became assistant librarian to Mrs. Bennett in 1929. Miss Gladys Lewis joined the staff as assistant to Mrs. Bennett in 1933. Mrs. Cooper and Miss Lewis continued in this capacity when Mrs. Chaires became head librarian in 1937. This year the services of Miss May Truitt were enlisted to augment the staff of the college library. Mrs. Cooper was also selected to supervise the Campus Elementary School library, an extension of the college library.

Students of STC should be proud to note that today the library has on file 25,000 volumes including 1900 bound periodicals. The Elementary School library has 3900 volumes. The information and picture file also contribute to the fine quality of this library.

The library system of STC includes the College Library, Campus Elementary School Library, the College Juvenile Library and the Curriculum Laboratory. The Juvenile Library is an aid to the student teacher in that he may familiarize himself with literature pertaining to the younger age group he is to teach. During the years when Mrs. Bennett was librarian a similar department existed under the title of Text Book Library. This was later discontinued.

The Curriculum Library is compiled of material for the student teacher's use. This material consists of courses of study, resource units, and text books of the Elementary and Junior High school. This supplementary material is very helpful to the student teacher.

Use of the library should constitute a greater part of the student's course of study. There is much to be learned about the make-up and workings of the library. Here the student can find the answer to his many questions or find entertainment in fictional reading.

## Musical Notes

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organization meetings. Presenting their usual fine entertainment with such novelties as "Dry Bones," "When You Wore a Tulip," "All Kinds of Women," and "Sniff," they sang at the PTA meeting at the Princess Anne Elementary School. They also entertained the FTA at Federalsburg High School, the Hebron Lions Club, and the Shriners at the Wicomico Hotel. On March 12, they sang for the Berlin Lions Club in Berlin, Md. They have plans for entertaining for the Conference of Supervisors of Elementary and Junior High Schools, at the Community Concert Dinner, and at the meeting of the Tri-County Poultry Association in Snow Hill. The members of the quartet, Bill Truitt, Howard Cheek, Bill James, and Robert Gebhardtsbauer, are to be congratulated on the fine variety shows which they have presented this year. We'll all be looking forward with great anticipation to their next performance.

# Campus School News

The Elementary school is really buzzing with activity. Every class, it seems, is working on some particular project. These projects, much to this reporter's interests, are carefully planned by the students.

In the First Grade the children are doing their major activity on Peter and the Wolf. In their room they have set up a small stage, and there are rumors to the effect that a puppet show is on its way. Corresponding to this is the children's interest in the music from "Peter", and the way they are putting their discoveries. The music field does seem to have taken first place in Miss Brady's room, for there are pictures of all types of musical instruments in the room. The children are enjoying this activity; you listen to the conversations in the lunchroom.

So, you think you know Salisbury; I'll bet that you don't know it as well as Miss Hutton's Second Grader's do. One half of the room is devoted to an outlay of the town. They have included everything from the smallest streetlight to the P.G.H. All the buildings are made from cardboard boxes, and they have been painted by the children themselves. (Haven't you seen the red hands at lunch time?)

The streets in this project have all been painted in black on a large piece of brown paper, and the Wicomico River in blue. It definitely has all the atmosphere of our town, from the boats in the river to the policeman on North Division.

Life Under the Sea is the title of the new unit that Miss Riall's class is studying. They have shown excellent initiative in finding their materials, and in presenting the facts to the class. As a whole the room has been a hub-hub of activity.

Quite a few of the students have gone beyond the reference material offered, and have taken trips to aquariams and to the nearest lakes and ponds to collect their own fish. After the trips and the searching they began their activities. These covered a variety of ways, including spelling bees, radio programs, quizzes, and charts.

Congrats to the Campus School, they are doing a terrific job.

*THIRD GRADE*

*ABOUT SASHA SEIMEL*

A man from Brazil came to our school. His name is Sasha Seimel. He showed us a picture of him and his family in the Brazilian Jungles. After the picture was over four third graders asked him some questions. David Corry asked if he had ever seen a man fall into the river and get eaten by the piranha fishes. Mr. Seimel said he had seen two men fall into the river and become skeltons in less than three minutes. Barbara Goldman asked how many dogs he took hunting. He said from four to ten.

Decker Faw askel when his family and himself were in the picture who was taking it. He said that he had an automatic camera. Allen Chambers asked if the spear that he used to kill the tiger in the picture was the one heshowed us. He said it was not the one in the picture was the one he showed us. clumsier.

He said that he used this one to kill a few tigers however. He had put a new shaft on this spear when he came back to the United States.

By Allen Chambers and
Barbara Goldmen

*MARCH POEM*

March is a month of winter and spring,
When flowers pop their heads.
And when the little birdies sing,
Spring is here, you sleepyheads.
I like the month of March,
When all the snow is gone.
And when the lion stops his roar
I hope spring won't be long.

Debbie Stockman
Grade 3

*Fourth And Fifth Grades*

The fourth and fifth grades have been working on different subjects. One of the things they are doing is writing poems to make into songs. Jerry Bank's poem was chosen to make first. The name of it is This World. We have made the tune for the first stanza. We are going to make more poems into songs when we finish this one. Some of the poems are about spring, some are about the future. Some people have made up two or three poems. If you would like to see them you can come into the fourth and fifth grade rooms and they are on the blackboard. Read them all because they are wonderful poems. They have also been working on explorers too. The fourth graders have made a map. They got the route on the board with chalk. If you can come to see the poems you can see the map.

Carol Caldwell
Jeanette Nichols

## Draft Status

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